

Persecution of Jews, Christians, and
philosophers.

93AD

DURANT

Josephus wrote "The Antiquities
of the Jews"

93

Domitian's 'reign of terror' begins

43

Domitian Castigated the senatorial
party and more philosophers

Earliest non-christian reference to Christ occurs in Josephus' 'Antiquities of the Jews':

At that time lived Jesus, a holy man, if man he may be called, for he performed wonderful works, and taught men, and joyfully received the truth. And he was followed by many Jews and many Greeks. He was the Messiah.